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# PROYECTO VALLE DE NACO

18J/84

Date

~~12/1/84~~ 26 Sept '85

Substance Bone

Lot Number

~~1211/85~~ Object Worked bone

Cat No

18J/84-

Multiples? (a, b, c, etc.)

~~1211/85-87~~

in

Cat by

Drawn by

## Physical Description

Paste Group (lenses + figurines):

Thickness 0.9 cm

Handle width

Form (lenses):

Height 5.04 cm

Handle thickness

Width 1.84 cm

Diameter

## Full

### Verbal Description

This is a piece of a long bone from near to the proximal end, judging from the curvature. The bone is fairly thick -- maximally 0.41 cm -- and probably came from a large mammal. The two long edges and both ends were cut. One end clearly shows that the cutting went through 0.24 cm of the 0.3 cm thickness, then the last 0.06 cm were cracked and subsequently smoothed. The other end has a 0.95 cm long segment which shows the same thing, but on this end the edges/corners were abraded off, and thereby rounded. One part of one rounded corner also has rodent chewing marks, as does ~~one~~ long edge and some of the surface adjacent to that edge, as well as the entire length of the surface adjacent to the other long edge. Most of the worked segments are slightly soft and chalky. The exterior surface retains some gloss, as does most of the interior surface. On the cut end that was worked ~~and~~ used, there are 2 short marks, possibly cut marks, running at approximately a 45 degree angle to the edge. On this end as well are the remains of a swelling or protuberance which is worn and rounded. The object's use is unknown.

Drawings ↓

